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Metro Road Work...

Construction & Lane Closures Weekend Schedule

ATLANTA-Georgia Department of Transportation projects to improve highway infrastructure throughout Metropolitan Atlanta continue this weekend, weather permitting. Construction on the I-75 South Express Lanes and I-20 will require lane closures, which, in turn, are likely to result in delays. Motorists are advised to exercise caution by reducing speed while driving through work zones.

The Georgia DOT encourages motorists to call 511, visit 511ga.org, or check the *511 Georgia and Atlanta Traffic* app before departing for real-time information on work status and traffic conditions.

Planned work this weekend is as follows:

Northwest Corridor Express Lanes

- On I-75, southbound traffic will be detoured to exit and re-enter the interstate via the I-75 ramps at SR 280/Delk Road from 12 a.m., until 5 a.m., Saturday. (see **detour map**).
- On I-75, rolling lane closures will take place on the southbound lanes between SR 280/Delk Road and Windy Hill Road from 8 p.m., until 10 p.m., Friday.
- On I-75, two southbound lanes will close between SR 280/Delk Road and Windy Hill Road from 8 p.m., Sunday until 5 a.m., Monday.
- On I-75, three southbound lanes will close between SR 120 Loop/ South Marietta Parkway and Windy Hill Road from 10 p.m., Friday until 12 a.m., Saturday.
- On I-75, two southbound lanes will close between SR 92/Alabama Road and Wade Green Road from 9 p.m., Friday until 5 a.m., Saturday. A traffic pace will also take place during the lane closure. The traffic pace will require motorists to drive 5 mph -10 mph to allow contractors to work across the interstate lanes.
- One lane will close on the I-575 northbound on-ramp from Chastain Road from 9:30

a.m., until 4 p.m., Saturday.

- A flagging operation will take place on all eastbound and westbound lanes on Hickory Grove Road over I-75 from 10 p.m., Friday until 3 a.m., Saturday.

South Metro Express Lanes

- On I-75, one northbound lane will close between Jonesboro Road and Hudson Bridge Road from 9 p.m., Friday until 7 a.m., Saturday.
- On I-75, one southbound lane will close between the I-675 interchange and Hudson Bridge Road from 9 p.m., Friday until 7 a.m., Saturday.
- On I-75, one northbound lane will close between Bill Gardner Parkway and SR 155/McDonough Road from 9 p.m., Friday until 5 a.m., Saturday.
- On I-75, one northbound lane will close between Jonesboro Road and SR 20/SR 81/Hampton Road continuously from 9 p.m., Friday until 5 a.m., Monday.
- On I-75, one southbound lane will close between the I-675 interchange and SR 138/Lake Spivey Parkway continuously from 9 p.m., Friday until 5 a.m., Monday.
- On I-75, one southbound lane will close between SR 20/SR 81/Hampton Road and SR 155 / N. McDonough Road from 8 a.m., until 5 p.m., Saturday.
- On I-75, one southbound lane will close between the I-675 interchange and Hudson Bridge Road from 9 p.m., Sunday until 7 a.m., Monday.
- One lane will close on the I-75 southbound off-ramp to SR 20/SR 81/Hampton Road from 9 p.m., Friday until 5 a.m., Saturday.
- On SR 20/SR 81/ Hampton Road, one westbound lane will close from 9 p.m., Friday until 5 a.m., Saturday.
- On SR 155/N. McDonough Road, one eastbound lane will close from 9 p.m., Friday until 5 a.m., Saturday.

I-75

- One northbound lane and two southbound lanes will close between Windy Hill Road and I-285 from 9 p.m., Friday until 5 a.m., Saturday.

I-85

- Rolling closures will require one northbound and one southbound lane to close between SR 3/Metropolitan Parkway and the I-285 interchange nightly from 9 p.m., until 5 a.m., starting Friday night until Monday morning.

I-75/I-85 (Downtown Connector)

- One northbound lane will close between Pine Street and Spring Street from 6 a.m., until 11:30 a.m., Saturday.

I-20

- Two westbound lanes and the shoulder will close between Six Flags Parkway and Thornton Road continuously from 9 p.m., Friday until 5 a.m., Monday.
- One westbound lane will close between the I-285 interchange and SR 70/ Fulton Industrial Boulevard continuously from 9 p.m., Friday until 5 a.m., Monday.
- One eastbound lane will close between SR 70/Fulton Industrial Boulevard to I-285 interchange and two eastbound lanes will close between SR 139/Martin Luther King Jr. Drive and the I-75/I-85 interchange continuously from 9 p.m., Friday until 5 a.m., Monday.

I-285

- Two southbound lanes will close between Atlanta Road and Washington Road nightly from 9 p.m., until 5 a.m., starting Friday night until Monday morning.
- Two northbound and two southbound lanes will close at Atlanta Road from 9 p.m., Friday until 12 a.m., Saturday for bridge demolition.

Georgia (State Route) 400

- One northbound lane will close between SR 141/Peachtree Parkway and MacFarland Parkway continuously **from 9 p.m., Friday until 12 p.m., Monday.**
- One northbound lane will close between Lenox Road and SR 140/Holcomb Bridge Road from 9 p.m., Saturday until 5 a.m., Sunday.
- Two northbound and two southbound lanes will close just before and after Encore Parkway from 9 p.m., Friday until 12 a.m., Saturday.

Other State Routes

- **On SR 42/Moreland Avenue, one northbound and one southbound lane will close between the I-285 interchange and Key Road for deep patching from 8 p.m., Sunday until 5 a.m., Monday.**
- **On SR 141/Peachtree Industrial Boulevard, one northbound and one southbound lane will close between North Shallowford Road and Club Drive from 8 p.m., Friday until 8 a.m., Saturday and from 8 p.m., Sunday until 5 a.m., Monday.**
- **On SR 120/ Old Milton Parkway, one eastbound and one westbound lane will close between the Georgia (State Route) 400 interchange and Brookhollow Trail from 8 p.m., Friday until 8 a.m., Saturday and from 8 p.m., Sunday until 5 a.m., Monday.**
- **On SR 92/Woodstock Road, two lanes will close between the Cobb County line and SR 9/ Alpharetta Highway nightly from 9 p.m., until 5 a.m., starting Friday night until Monday morning.**
- **On SR 139/ Ralph David Abernathy Boulevard, all eastbound and westbound lanes will close between Inman Street and West Ontario Avenue from 10 a.m., until 9 p.m., Saturday. A detour will be in place for motorists traveling on SR 139/Ralph David Abernathy.**
 - **Eastbound traffic from Cascade Avenue SW entering Ralph David Abernathy SW will be directed onto Stokes Avenue SW to W Ontario Avenue SW back onto Ralph David Abernathy Boulevard SW (see **detour map**).**
 - **Southbound traffic from Martin Luther King Drive NW on Ralph David Abernathy SW will be directed to W Ontario Ave SW to Stokes Avenue SW back onto Ralph David Abernathy Boulevard SW(see **detour map**).**

Other Georgia DOT work and routine maintenance will necessitate various lane closures this weekend (as detailed in the attached spreadsheets); the Department also cautions that incident and emergency repair related closures may be necessary on any route at any time. As always, drive cautiously, courteously, undistracted and unimpaired.

Additional information is available via the following attachments:

- [Complete list of Metro Atlanta lane closures](#)
- [Complete list of statewide lane closures](#)
- [Metro Atlanta weekend special events list](#)
- [NWC Detour Directions and Map](#)
- [SR 139/Ralph David Abernathy Boulevard Detour Directions and Maps](#)

Every day Georgia DOT employees work on roadways in close proximity to travel lanes. Whether they're in maintenance, in construction or are HEROs, it's dangerous. Fifty-eight Georgia DOT personnel and many more motorists, passengers and contractors' workers have been killed in work zone crashes since

1973. When you drive in a work zone, obey the rules: Pay Attention - Slow Down - Watch for Workers. It can make the difference between life and death. Visit www.dot.ga.gov/DS/SafetyOperation/Workzone.

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